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GA PLENARY -- RECOMMENDATIONS OF COMITES 4 AND 6

GA DEC. 12 ADOPTED SERIES OF RESES RECOMMENDED BY COMITE 6 ON SUCH TOPICS AS RESPECT FOR HR IN ARMED CONFLICTS, RELATIONS WITH HOST COUNTRY, INTERNATIONAL TRADE LAW, AND 1974 CONFERENCE ON PRESCRIPTION (LIMITATION) IN INTERNATIONAL SALE OF GOODS. IT ALSO APPROVED COMITE 4 RECOMMENDATIONS ON DECOLONIZATION, INCLUDING THOSE RELATING TO PAPUA NEW GUINEA, NAMIBIA, PORTUGUESE TERRITORIES, RHODESIA, FOREIGN ECONOMIC INTERESTS AND EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING PROGRAMS. ACTING PRES ANNOUNCED MEMBERS OF INQUIRY COMMISSION ON REPORTED ATROCITIES IN MOZAMBIQUE WOULD BE: GDR, HONDURAS, IRELAND, MADAGASCAR, AND NEPAL.

-- COMITE 6 RECOMMENDATIONS --

COMITE 6 RESES WERE APPROVED AS FOLLOWS: ITEM 96 (A/9412), RES I, URGING ALL PARTIES AT GENEVA DIPLOMATIC CONFERENCE TO DO UTMOST TO REACH AGREEMENT ON ADDITIONAL RULES WHICH MIGHT HELP ALLEVIATE SUFFERING IN ARMED CONFLICTS AND TO PROTECT NON-COMBATANTS AND CIVILIAN OBJECTS -- 107-0-6(COSTA RICA, ISRAEL, PARAGUAY, PORTUGAL, SPAIN, US). RES II, ON RESPECT FOR HR IN ARMED CONFLICTS, CONTAINING SIX "BASIC PRINCIPLES OF LEGAL STATUS OF COMBATANTS STRUGGLING AGAINST COLONIAL AND ALIEN DOMINATION AND RACIST REGIMES" -- 83-13(AUSTRIA, BELGIUM, BRAZIL, FRANCE, FRG, ISRAEL, ITALY, LUXEMBOURG, PORTUGAL, SA, UK, US, URUGUAY)-19(AUSTRALIA, CANADA, COSTA RICA, DENMARK, FINLAND, GREECE, GUATEMALA, HONDURAS, ICELAND, IRAN, JAPAN, MALAWI, NETHERLANDS, NZ, NORWAY, PARAGUAY, SPAIN, SWEDEN, TURKEY).

ALARCON DE QUESADA (CUBA) HAD SOME RESERVATIONS ON BOTH HR RESES, AND MENTIONED RIGHTS OF PEOPLE OF AFRICA, PALESTINE AND OTHER ARAB LANDS, AND FASCIST CHILE, AND HE HOPED GA WOULD END IMPERIALISM, FASCISM AND COLONIALISM. NETHERLANDS REP HAD RESERVATIONS, WHILE UKRAINE SUPPORTED RESES. STEEL (UK) SAID UK POSITION HAD NOT CHANGED ON PARA 2 OF RES I RELATING TO PARTICIPATION OF LIBERATION MOVEMENTS. ROSENNE (ISRAEL) THOUGHT TWO RESES LIMITED UNCLASSIFIED

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POSSIBILITIES FOR SUCCESS OF GENEVA CONFERENCE. PORTUGUESE REP WOULD HAVE VOTED AGAINST PARA 2 IN SEPARATE VOTE. GUATEMALAN REP CHANGED FROM ABSTENTION IN COMITE 6 TO SUPPORT IN GA FOR RES I IN VIEW OF SWISS PROGRESS IN ARRANGING FOR CONFERENCE.

EVANS EXPLAINED USG WELCOMED DECISION OF SWISS TO CONVENE CONFERENCE BUT OPPOSED PARTICIPATION OF "ENTITIES WHICH ARE NOT STATES" AND THEREFORE ABSTAINED ON RES I. US VOTED AGAINST RES II BECAUSE IT CONSIDERED IT WOULD BE WRONG TO GIVE SPECIAL TREATMENT TO ANY PARTICULAR CLASS OF VICTIMS OF WAR BECAUSE OF MOTIVATION. HE FEARED CONFERENCE COULD BE HARMED BY "ILL-FOUNDED ASSERTIONS" IN THIS RES.

ITEM 99 (A/9415): RES CONCERNING WORK OF COMITE ON RELATIONS WITH HOST COUNTRY WHICH CONDEMNED ACTS OF VIOLENCE AND OTHER CRIMINAL ACTS AGAINST PREMISES OF UN MISSIONS WELL AS THREATS AND HOSTILE ACTIONS AGAINST MISSION PERSONNEL, AND URGED IMPLEMENTATION OF NEW FEDERAL LEGISLATION -- WITHOUT OBJECTION. SYRIAN REP, IN EXPLAINING VOTE, NOTED HIS MISSION HAD BEEN TARGET OF THREATS AND HARASSMENT BY JDL AND OTHER ZIONIST ORGANIZATIONS; AND SAID IF SITUATION COULD NOT BE IMPROVED, CONSIDERATION OUGHT TO BE GIVEN TO MOVING UN HDQRS ELSEWHERE.

ITEM 92 (A/9408): INCREASING MEMBERSHIP OF UNCITRAL FROM 29 TO 36 AND MAKING NUMBER OF RECOMMENDATIONS -- UNANIMOUSLY;

ITEM 93 (A/9409): REQUESTING SYG TO CONVENE UN CONFERENCE ON PRESCRIPTION (LIMITATION) IN INTERNATIONAL SALE OF GOODS AT UN HDQRS MAY 20-JUNE 14, 1974 -- 108(US)-0-11. SOVIET REP STATED CERTAIN ASPECTS OF RES FAILED TAKE APPROPRIATE ACCOUNT OF SOVEREIGNTY OF STATES.

ITEM 95 (A/9411): INVITING COMITE ON QUESTION OF DEFINING AGGRESSION TO RESUME WORK IN NY EARLY IN 1974 WITH VIEW TO COMPLETING ITS TASK AND RESUBMITTING DRAFT DEFINITION OF AGGRESSION -- UNANIMOUSLY.

ITEM 98 (A/9414): ON UN PROGRAM OF ASSISTANCE IN TEACHING, STUDY, DISSEMINATION AND WIDER APPRECIATION OF INTERNATIONAL UNCLASSIFIED

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LAW -- WITHOUT OBJECTION. ALSO WITHOUT OBJECTION, GA AGREED TO POSTPONE UNTIL 29TH GA ITEMS 94 ON MEASURES TO PREVENT INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM (A/9410) AND 97 ON REVIEW OF ROLE OF ICJ (A/9413). THOSE ABSENT DURING FIRST VOTES INCLUDED: ALBANIA, BOLIVIA, CHILE, COLOMBIA, DR, FIJI, GAMBIA, HAITI, JORDAN, MALDIVES, MALTA, MAURITIUS, MOROCCO, SAUDI ARABIA, SOMALIA, SWAZILAND, UPPER VOLTA AND VENEZUELA.

-- COMITE 4 RECOMMENDATIONS --

RES ON PAPUA NEW GUINEA (A/9416) CALLING ON ADMINISTERING POWER AND PNG GOVT TO CONSULT ON TIMING OF INDEPENDENCE AND EMPHASIZING IMPERATIVE NEED TO ENSURE NATIONAL UNITY OF PNG PRESERVED -- APPROVED WITHOUT OBJECTION. ON NAMIBIA (ITEM 70, A/9419), RES I RECOGNIZING SWAPO AS "AUTHENTIC REP OF NAMIBIAN PEOPLE", AND STRONGLY CONDEMNING SAG, AND INVITING SC TO CONSIDER TAKING EFFECTIVE MEASURES TO END ILLEGAL OCCUPATION OF NAMIBIA BY SA -- 107-2(PORTUGAL, SA)-17(AUSTRIA, BELGIUM, CANADA, EL SALVADOR, FRANCE, FRG, IRELAND, ISRAEL, ITALY, LUXEMBOURG, MALAWI, NETHERLANDS, NICARAGUA, PARAGUAY, UK, US, URUGUAY). RES II ALLOCATING \$100,000 FROM 1974 REGULAR UN BUDGET FOR UN FUND FOR NAMIBIA

-- 124-2(PORTUGAL, SA)-0. DANES EXPLAINED THEIR VOTE CHANGED
ON BASIS SC DEC. 11 DECISION ON NAMIBIA.

PORTUGUESE TERRITORIES (ITEM 71, A/9338): RES I DEMANDING
PORTUGAL CEASE ITS COLONIAL WARS AND TREAT CAPTURED
FREEDOM FIGHTERS AS POW'S, AND STRONGLY CONDEMNING PORTUGAL --
105-8(BOLIVIA, BRAZIL, FRANCE, PORTUGAL, SA, SPAIN, UK,
US)-16(AUSTRIA, BELGIUM, COLOMBIA, COSTA RICA, EL SALVADOR,
FRG, GUATEMALA, HONDURAS, ISRAEL, ITALY, JAPAN,
LUXEMBOURG, MALAWI, NICARAGUA, PARAGUAY, URUGUAY). RES II
ESTABLISHING COMMISSION OF INQUIRY TO INVESTIGATE REPORTED
ATROCITIES IN MOZAMBIQUE -- 104-4(PORTUGAL, SA, SPAIN,
US)-12(8BLOC (NOT ROMANIA), CONGO, FRANCE, GUATEMALA,
UK). GA PRES NAMED FOLLOWING TO SERVE ON COMMISSION OF
INQUIRY: GDR, HONDURAS, IRELAND, MADAGASCAR, NEPAL. CHILEAN
REP STATED TWO RESES ON PORTUGUESE TERRITORIES INCONSISTENT,
BUT HE WOULD VOTE FOR BOTH.

RHODESIA (ITEM 72, A/9339): RES I REAFFIRMING RIGHT OF ZIMBABWE
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PEOPLE TO SELF-DETERMINATION, FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE,
AND LEGITIMACY OF THEIR STRUGGLE TO SECURE BY ALL MEANS
ENJOYMENT OF THAT RIGHT, AND CALLING ON UK TO TERMINATE
ILLEGAL MINORITY REGIME -- 108-4(PORTUGAL, SA, UK, US)-15(AUS-
TRIA, BELGIUM, CANADA, DENMARK, FINLAND, FRANCE, FRG, ITALY,
JAPAN, LUXEMBOURG, MALAWI, NETHERLANDS, NORWAY, SWEDEN,
URUGUAY). RES II INVITING SC TO CONSIDER MEASURES, INCLUDING
CALLING ON STATES TO CONFISCATE SHIPMENTS TO AND FROM SR,
NULLIFYING INSURANCE POLICIES COVER
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FOREIGN ECONOMIC INTERESTS (ITEM 73, A/9424): CONDEMNING
POLICIES OF COLONIAL AND OTHER STATES WHICH CONTINUE SUPPORT
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THOSE FOREIGN ECONOMIC AND OTHER INTERESTS ENGAGED IN
EXPLOITING NATURAL AND HUMAN RESOURCES IN TERRITORIES,
THUS OBSTRUCTING FULL AND SPEEDY IMPLEMENTATION OF DEC-
OLONIZATION DECLARATION--103-3(PORTUGAL, SA, US)-23
(15 WEO'S, BRAZIL, HONDURAS, ISRAEL, JAPAN, MALAWI,
NICARAGUA, PARAGUAY, URUGUAY). BEFORE VOTE, REP OF SIERRA
LEONE STATED RES SHOULD NOT BE INTERPRETED AS CONDEMNING
ALL FOREIGN ECONOMIC INTERESTS, BUT ONLY THOSE WHICH
IMPEDED IMPLEMENTATION OF DECOLONIZATION DECLARATION.

ITEM 69 (A/9418), ON INFO FROM NSGT'S, DEPLORING SOME
ADMINISTERING POWERS FAILED TRANSMIT INFO OR SUFFICIENT
INFO UNDER CHARTER ART. 73(E) AND STSTRONGLY CONDEMNING
PORTUGAL--114-2(PORTUGAL, SA)-10(BRAZIL, COSTA RICA,
FRANCE, GUATEMALA, MALAWI, PARAGUAY, SPAIN, UK, US,
URUGUAY). RE IMPLEMENTATION OF DECOLONIZATION DECLARATION
BY SPECIALIZED AGENCIES (ITEMS 74 AND 12, A/9421),
GA URGED ALL THOSE ASSOCIATED WITH UN TO GIVE ALL POSSIBLE
MORAL AND MATERIAL ASSISTANCE TO COLONIAL PEOPLES OF
AFRICA STRUGGLING FOR THEIR LIBERATION AND TO INCREASE AID
TO REFUGEES--108-4(PORTUGAL, SA, UK, US)-17(BELGIUM,
BRAZIL, COLOMBIA, COSTA RICA, FRANCE, FRG, GREECE, IRELAND,
ISRAEL, ITALY, JAPAN, LUXEMBOURG, MALAWI, NICARAGUA,
PARAGUAY, SPAIN, URUGUAY).

ITEM 75 (A/9422), URGENTLY APPEALING AGAIN TO ALL STATES,
ORGANIZATIONS AND INDIVIDUALS TO CONTRIBUTE GENEROUSLY

TO EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING PROGRAM FOR SOUTHERN AFRICA--
126-2(PORTUGAL, SA)-0. ITEM 76 (A/9423), INVITING ALL
STATES TO CONTINUE GENEROUS OFFERS OF STUDY AND TRAINING
FACILITIES FOR INHABITANTS OF NSGT'S--WITHOUT OBJECTION.

GUATEMALAN REP STATED BELIZE WAS INTEGRAL PART OF GUATEMALA,
AND UK REP REPLIED THAT HE COULD NOT ACCEPT GUATEMALAN
STATEMENT. BAZAN (CHILE) REPLIED TO CUBAN REP, AND ALARCON
QUESADA (CUBA) IN COUNTER-REPLY MENTIONED SOME OF HIS INFO
CAME FROM SWEDISH DIPLOMAT'S CABLE. FURTHER EXCHANGE ENSUED
BETWEEN CHILEAN AND CUBAN REPS.

COMITE 2--ADOPTS RESES ON WORLD FOOD CONF, OPI;
CONCLUDES WORK
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COMITE DEC 12 CONCLUDED WORK FOR SESSION BY ADOPTING WITHOUT
VOTE PROPOSALS ON WORLD FOOD CONFERENCE AND OFFICE OF PUBLIC
INFORMATION (OPI). UNDER DRAFT RES ON WORLD FOOD
CONFERENCE (L.287), AS RECOMMENDED BY ECOSOC, GA WOULD
CONVENE CONFERENCE IN ROME FOR TWO WEEKS IN NOV NEXT YEAR;
CONFERENCE WOULD BE INTERGOVERNMENTAL AT MINISTERIAL LEVEL,
ECOSOC ENTRUSTED WITH OVER-ALL RESPONSIBILITY, AND SYG WOULD
APPOINT SYG FOR CONFERENCE AND SET UP SMALL SECRETARIAT AS
SOON AS POSSIBLE. UNDER DRAFT RES (L.287) ON OPI, GA WOULD
INVITE OPI, IN PARTICULAR CESI, TO ORIENT EDITORIAL AND
REPORTING PROSRITIES TO ENSURE ADEQUATE COVERAGE OF UN
DEVELOPMENTS IN ECONOMIC AND SOCIALFIELDS, INCLUDING COMITE
2 ACTIVITIES.

COMITE ALSO HEARD STATEMENTS IN SUPPORT OF CONVENING WORLD
FOOD CONFERENCE BY TWENTY-FOUR DELS, MOST OF WHICH ANNOUNCED
INTENTION TO PARTICIPATE IN PREPARATORY WORK. EES SAID
CONFERENCE SHOULD BE HELD AT LATER DATE AND MAIN AGENDA ITEMS
SHOULD BE LAND REFORM, FARM COOPERATIVES, AND ELIMINATION
OF PRICE MANIPULATIONS. WEOS WARNED AGAINST INCLUSION
OF TOO MANY ITEMS ON AGENDA. FRG SAID WFC SHOULD DEAL WITH
FOOD RELIEF AND FOOD STOCKS BUT NOT TRADE OR DEVELOPMENT;
ICELAND SUGGESTED ESTABLISHING WORLD FOOD BANK CONTROLLED
BY FAO. LDCS SAID CONFERENCE SHOULD DEAL WITH FOOD
PRODUCTION AND LDC TRADE. YUGOSLAV REP SAID CONFERENCE
SHOULD DEFINE GUIDELINES FOR WORLD FOOD POLICY AND PHILIPPINES
RAISED QUESTION OF MINIMUM FOOD SECURITY. US REP EXPRESSED
APPRECIATION FOR COOPERATION IN MATTER.

CHAIRMAN REVIEWED WORK OF COMITE AND NOTED IDS REVIEW AND
APPRAISAL, REVOLVING FUND FOR NATURAL RESOURCES EXPLORATION,
UN UNIVERSITY, AND RESES ON UNIDO, UNEP, AND UNCTAD AS
TIMELY AND IMPORTANT STEPS.

COMITE 5--

DEC. 12, SUDANESE PROPOSAL THERE SHOULD BE NO FIRST CLASS TRAVEL FOR ASYG'S AND DIRECTORS (AMENDED L. 1155) WAS APPROVED BY COMITE 65(US)-0-20(WEO'S), AFTER GHANIAN AMENDMENT THAT WOULD HAVE AUTHORIZED FIRST CLASS TRAVEL UNCLASSIFIED

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FOR ASYG'S WAS REJECTED 22-32(US)-29. COMITE ACCEPTED WITHOUT VOTE ARGENTINE PROPOSAL FOR STUDY OF BUDGETARY EFFECTS OF CURRENCY INSTABILITY (L.1158) AND RECOMMENDED ACC STUDY IDEA OF HAVING UN MEMBER ORGANIZATIONS MAKE BUDGETARY CONTRIBUTIONS IN TWO CURRENCIES RATHER THAN ONE. WITHOUT VOTE, AUSTRIAN PROPOSAL TO TRANSFER UNSCEAR TO VIENNA WAS ACCEPTED. COMITE NOTED STAFF RULES AMENDMENTS (A/C.5/1514) (SOVIET REP OPPOSED AUTOMATIC ADOPTION OF RULE WITHOUT CONSIDERING FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS) AND REPORT ON DIFFERENTIAL TREATMENT BASED ON SEX (A/C.5/1519). IN REPLY TO UPPER VOLTAN DEL, USYG DAVIDSON SAID HE DID NOT ANTICIPATE DIFFICULTIES IN TAKING SUGGESTED MEASURES BUT WISHED COMPLY WITH SYSTEM-WIDE PROCEDURES.

AT NIGHT MEETING DEC. 11, COMITE DECIDED 51(US)-10-11 TO INFORM GA \$1,716,800 NEEDED TO PREPARE FOR CONF/EXPOSITION ON HUMAN SETTLEMENTS, AFTER REJECTING 21-34(US)-14 SOVIET PROPOSAL TO CUT \$500,000 FROM CONFERENCE COSTS. IT WAS DECIDED WITHOUT VOTE PROPOSALS FOR GRANTS TO UN FUND FOR NAMIBIA AND UN EDUCATIONAL AND TRAINING PROGRAM FOR SA WOULD EACH REQUIRE \$100,000 FOR 1974-75; ADDITIONAL \$65,000 NEEDED FOR ACTIVITIES BY NAMIBIA COUNCIL IN 1974; ANOTHER \$65,000 REQUIRED FOR GENEVA SESSION OF COMITE ON ELIMINATION RACIAL DISCRIMINATION; AND THAT STUDY ON FINANCING OF HOUSING AND HUMAN SETTLEMENTS WOULD COST ADDITIONAL \$33,000 (AS RECOMMENDED BY ACABQ), AFTER SOVIETS OPPOSED IT AND ALGERIANS CRITICIZED USE OF CONSULTANTS.

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BEFORE CHAIRMAN ANNOUNCED CONSENSUS ON TRANSFER OF UNSCEAR
TO VIENNA, US DEL (KELLER) STATED IF VOTE TAKEN US WOULD
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ABSTAIN SINCE IT DID NOT UNDERSTAND NEED FOR TRANSFER
NOR FIND IT JUSTIFIABLE. CANADA ALSO OPPOSED MOVE. MCCARTHY
(AUSTRALIA) PROPOSED ADDITIONAL WORDING FOR REPORT DESIGNED
TO REENFORCE "INDEPENDENCE" OF UNSCEAR, WHICH AUSTRIANS
ACCEPTED.

ON CONFERENCE ON HUMAN SETTLEMENTS (A/C.5/1569), DEBATE
WAS SHARPLY DIVIDED BOTH ON COSTS AND ON NEED FOR UN
SPONSORSHIP. FRENCH CRITICIZED EXPENDITURE OF \$13 MILLION
WHICH COULD BE PUT TO BETTER USE ON HOUSING ITSELF, AND
WARNED AGAINST SETTING UP PERMANENT SECRETARIAT AFTER
CONFERENCE. JAPANESE THOUGHT COSTS EXCESSIVE AND WOULD HAVE
PREFERRED CONSIDERING CONF BUDGET IN 29TH AND 30TH GA'S.
THREE SOVIET STATES SPOKE IN OPPOSITION. UPPER VOLTAN DEL
AGREED GO ALONG, THOUGH HE CRITICIZED UN WILLINGNESS
SPEND LARGE AMOUNTS ON CONFERENCES WHILE OBJECTING TO SMALL
AMOUNTS FOR REAL PROGRAMS. CANADIAN, SWEDISH AND ARGENTINE
DELS SUPPORTED CONFERENCE. MATHESON (CANADA) SAID GOC COULD
ACCEPT ACABQ-RECOMMENDED CUTS FOR VANCOUVER CONF BUT FURTHER
SLASHES UNACCEPTABLE. SADDLER (SECRETARIAT), REPLYING TO
DELS, POINTED OUT STOCKHOLM CONF COST UN ABOUT SAME AMOUNT
AS PROJECTED FOR VANCOUVER. HE PROMISED TO ATTEMPT MUCH

AS POSSIBLE TO USE EXISTING STAFF AND INDICATED SECRETARIAT
WORK PROGRAM WOULD NOT BE AFFECTED ADVERSELY BY CONF
PREPARATIONS.

ON PROBLEM OF CURRENCY INSTABILITY, ARGENTINE DEL (DE
PRAT GAY) SUBMITTED PROPOSAL (L. 1158) DEC. 11 FOR STUDY OF
ALTERNATIVE SOLUTIONS, AND DEC. 12 INTRODUCED AMENDED
LANGUAGE WORKED OUT IN CONSULTATIONS RECOMMENDING INFORMAL
WORKING GROUP CONSISTING OF 13 REPS OF MEMBER STATES,
INCLUDING PERM SC MEMBERS, TO BE APPOINTED BY GA PRES AND
REPORTING TO 29TH GA. HE EMPHASIZED INFORMALITY AND FACT
THERE WERE NO FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS AND IT WOULD NOT INVOLVE
HIRING EXPERTS. HE HOPED CUBA WOULD BE INCLUDED IN GROUP.
(CUBA WITHDREW ITS DRAFT RES (L.1146) DEC. 11.)

IN CONFUSED DISCUSSION OF OFFICIAL TRAVEL, NUMEROUS
AMENDMENTS WERE OFFERED TO SUDANESE DRAFT (L.1155). ONE
GHANIAN AMENDMENT WAS DEFEATED 22-32-29; ANOTHER AMENDMENT
WHICH EVENTUALLY REQUIRES SYG TO REPORT ANNUALLY TO GA ON
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IMPLEMENTATION OF RES WAS ACCEPTED 48(US)-6-25. CHAIRMAN
STATED PHILIPPINE SUGGESTION SPECIFY TRAVEL BY "SHORTEST
AND DIRECT ROUTE" WAS ACCEPTED. BRAZILIANS PROPOSED DELETING
PARA 1 WHICH WOULD HAVE DENIED FIRST CLASS TRAVEL TO
COMITES, COMMISSIONS, ETC., AND, IN ABSENCE OF SUDANESE,
CHAIRMAN HASTILY RULED BRAZILIAN AMENDMENT APPROVED
WITHOUT OBJECTION. SYG REP SAID AVERAGE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN
FIRST CLASS AND TOURIST COSTS WAS \$250 PER PERSON. SAVINGS
RESULTING FROM APPLICATION OF PARA 2 WOULD AMOUNT TO
ABOUT \$60,000; IF PARA 1 HAD PASSED, SAVINGS WOULD HAVE
BEEN ABOUT \$180,000. RES AS AMENDED WAS APPROVED 65(US)-
0-20(WEO'S).

COMITE ON RELATIONS WITH HOST COUNTRY--

ARGENTINE REP INFORMED GA PRES (A/9436) ARGENTINA
DECIDED WITHDRAW FROM COMITE ON RELATIONS WITH HOST COUNTRY
IN VIEW OF OTHER IMPORTANT OBLIGATIONS.

UN MEETINGS DEC. 13--

A.M.--GA PLENARY, COMITES 1, 5, LOS CONFERENCE, AND TENTATIVELY
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P.M.--GA PLENARY, COMITES 1, 5, LOS CONFERENCE, AND
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